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WHOLE NUMBER 2374.

W. R. SELLICK--DRY GOODS, BOOTS AND SHOES.

CLOAKS FOR AUTUMN.

We are now receiving Our Jackets, Capes and Skirts from the Manufacturers.

This year the styles run a little more elaborate, and we have been fortunate in securing some novelties out of different lines that will be controlled exclusively by us.

Our 27-inch Mercerized-lined Salts, Plush Cape, Thibet-trimmed, that we propose to sell at \$6.98, is one of the best values this department can offer.

A black, lined Jacket, (revers), trimmed with Applique, is a garment without a peer, at the price of \$5.00.

At \$7.50 and \$8.00 are priced a line of Kersey Jackets, in black, castor and royal blue, these form a trio that will make a decided hit with young ladies. We are offering two numbers, one in black and one in castor, that were made to sell at \$12.00, for \$10.00, and we claim for them a superiority not to be found in other Jackets for this money.

Children's Melton Jackets, with cape trimmed, at \$2.00. Better Jackets for children, at \$3.00, \$4.00 and \$5.00. Rainy day Skirts, guaranteed not to sag or wet through; plaid back, inverted plait, \$3.98 and \$5.00.

MILLINERY.

MISS HALSTEAD of Detroit assumes charge of this department, Friday morning, Sept. 21, and will have a line of STREET HATS on display to suit all the ladies.

We are offering this week some desirable styles in Ready-made Fleeced Wrappers.

NEW SATIN WAISTS.

Another lot of the Elite Underskirts from \$1.00 to \$4.00. No drawstring—a hook, and they are adjusted.

NEW FRENCH FLANNELS. ALSO,

New flannels that look like French Flannels, but cost less. Tennis Flannels, Daisy Cloths, Flannelettes, etc.

New Carpets, Lace Curtains, Linoleums and Rugs.

WM. R. SELLICK.

H. C. WATERS & CO.--HARDWARE.

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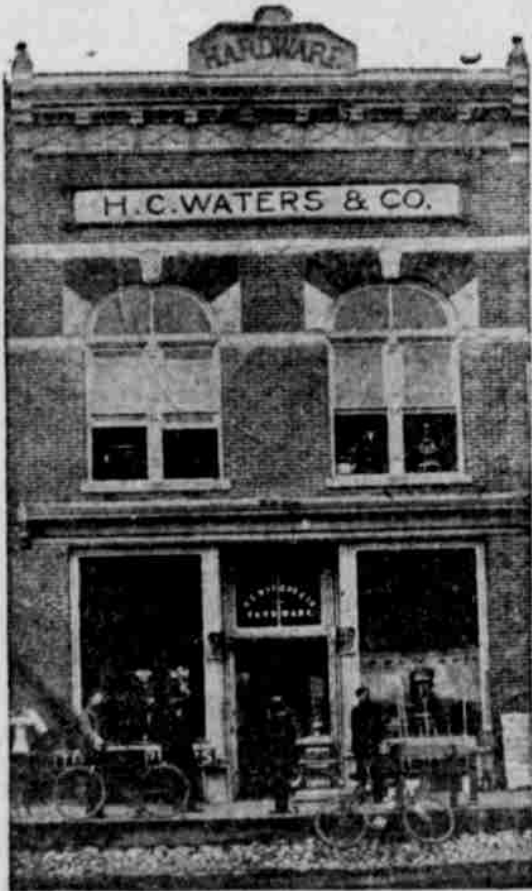
SATISFACTION!

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Every Dollar Spent

-AT THIS-

Hardware Store.



GIVING OUR CUSTOMERS

Value Received

-FOR-

Their Money in All Cases

-HAS-

Built up Our Business

-TO ITS-

Present Magnitude

Saving in our cost of selling and dividing this saving with our customers has encouraged more sales and a greater consumption of goods.

More sales, even at less margins, means more profit to us, besides keeping

Our Stock New and Clean.

We still want more business. We shall get it with honest and honorable methods.

Everything in the Hardware Line and Square Dealing our Specialty.

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BUSINESS NOTICES.

W. C. Y. Ferguson, D. D. S. Dental Parlors. All operations, including Crown and Bridge work, rendered as painless as possible. Office in Longwell Block, Paw Paw, Mich.

Dr. Bessie Hutchinson, Dentist, Paw Paw, Mich. Office over Tyler's Hardware store.

Dr. L. Barnard will be at the Dyckman house every Thursday, from 11 a. m. to 5 p. m., for the purpose of fitting glasses. Office, Chase block, Kalamazoo. [58-1f]

Dr. E. D. Sargent, First door west of Town Hall, 2327 1/2f] Glendale, Mich.

David Anderson—Lawyer. All business given prompt and careful attention. Office over Paw Paw Savings Bank.

A. Lynn Free—Lawyer. Office over Avery's store, Paw Paw, Michigan.

Oshorn, Mills & Master, Attorneys at Law. Offices, Academy of Music Block, Kalamazoo, Michigan. Can supply loans on good real estate.

Lincoln H. Titus, Attorney at Law. Abstract Building. Law, Insurance and Collections.

James E. Chandler, Attorney at Law. Office over Phillips' furniture store, Paw Paw.

Geo. L. Bruner, Contractor and building mover, all kinds of plain and fancy stone work done. Will take contracts for all kinds of building and repairing and furnish everything. Satisfaction guaranteed. I sell and set up Snow Bros. furnaces. Kibbie 'phone at residence. Geo. L. BRUNER.

Pensioners. Having recently been admitted to practice before the department of the interior, I shall hold myself in readiness to transact any business before the department that may be intrusted to me. Especial attention will be given to pension claims. [63-1f] O. W. ROWLAND.

The leading fire insurance companies represented by E. F. PARKS.

Paper Hanging Done in the best possible manner. I am agent for the celebrated Potter Wall Paper Mills (not in the trust) and can sell you wall paper cheaper than anyone. Interior and exterior decorating. Office in the Manning block, opposite First National Bank. Call and see samples. 49-1f] J. A. LORECH.

R. A. Shoemith, residence 57 Pine St., just west of Presbyterian church. [54-1f]

To Loan. A few thousand dollars to loan on real estate security. LINCOLN H. TITUS.

Paw Paw Savings Bank. Capital \$40,000.00. F. W. SELLICK, Pres. J. J. WOODMAN, J. W. FREE, Vice Pres., Cashier.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS: Daniel Morrison, W. R. Sellick, John W. Free, E. W. Sellick, C. E. Lyle, L. H. Titus.

Interest Paid on Certificates of Deposit.

Cob Grinder. I have recently started a new Cob Grinder at the Almena mills. EDW. H. MISER, Prop.

Thompson Furniture Co. Furniture and Undertaking. Night calls answered, 31 North Niles street. [23-5f]

B. W. McCabe, Auctioneer, Paw Paw, Mich. Services always satisfactory. Terms reasonable. [4-1f]

A Chance to Save Money.

33 YEARS IN PAW PAW

I have a large stock of Marble and Granite, all as good material as money will buy. Some 30 monuments, large and small, I shall offer for 60 days at very close to actual cost. Terms made easy. Paw Paw Marble and Granite Works. L. A. WHITMAN.

The way the goods have gone from R. A. Shoemith's since his repair sale began is conclusive evidence that the people appreciate a chance to get furniture at wholesale prices. [23-8-1f]

Van Buren County Teachers' Examinations 1900-1901. South Haven, beginning third Thursday in October; 2d and 3d grades.

WELLS G. BROWN, Commissioner of Schools.

Livery and Feed Barn. I have purchased the livery and feed business of James M. Longwell and am prepared to furnish first class rigs of all kinds at reasonable prices. Your trade invited. Dyckman House barn. [4-1f] C. W. SUMMY.

For Sale. A registered Merino ram, bred by E. B. Welch. Inquire of A. C. GLIDDEN. [73-1f]

New Fall Millinery. Our new goods are now in, and the assortment is beautiful. Inspection is invited. Old friends and new ones will be welcomed. Prices right and satisfaction guaranteed. [73-1f] MRS. M. L. O'DELL.

A wagon-rack load of young people—the Sunday school class of Mrs. A. C. Glidden—went to her home last evening to eat melons and have a good time.

Miss Wise, Teacher of Piano and Organ. 7167-6

Wm. J. Barnard, Attorney at Law, Paw Paw, Mich. Office over E. B. Longwell's store, opposite court house. All business carefully attended to. [2-1f]

Cider Apples Wanted. At my mill in Almena, for which I will pay the highest market price. [73-1f] B. W. HIPPE.

Ask your grocer for Russ' Bleaching Blue; do not be deceived by fraudulent imitations; see that the name Russ appears on all packages. [4-1f]

Beans Wanted! Mosier at Mattawan pays the highest market price. [73-1f]

For Sale. A very fine registered, yearling Shropshire Ram. [7-1f] A. HATHAWAY.

Shropshire Rams. For sale at the B. C. Sheldon farm. [73-1f] HARRY O. SHELDON, Breeder.

When you go to buy bluing insist upon having Russ' Bleaching Blue and not some of the many imitations. [4-1f]

For Sale. A house, barn and two lots in the village of Lawton, situated on the corner of Bitley street and Railroad avenue. Buildings new. Write or enquire of [2-1f] MRS. M. J. LITTLE, Lawton Mich.

Money to loan on real estate. E. F. PARKS. [60-1f]

In India, the land of famine, thousands die because they cannot obtain food. In America, the land of plenty, many suffer and die because they cannot digest the food they eat. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat. It instantly relieves and radically cures all stomach troubles. E. B. Longwell. [4-1f]

Local Department.

Geo. E. Butler is able to be out again. Eddie Snow has returned to Ann Arbor.

W. R. Sellick advertises cloaks for autumn.

A. H. Long of Gobleville was in town Tuesday.

C. B. Charles of Bangor was in town Wednesday.

Mrs. Lila Longwell of Keeler is visiting in Paw Paw.

Mrs. Jessie Drew is spending a few days in Chicago.

Miss Lyle Buckhout visited friends in Chicago last week.

The Paw Paw Savings bank statement is published in this paper.

Frank Seabury of Benton Harbor is visiting Paw Paw friends.

J. E. Chandler has been ill and confined to the house but is now, out again.

Miss Lola Douglas has returned to Jackson, where she will teach again this year.

H. C. Waters & Co. tell in their adv. this week how they have succeeded in business.

Mrs. M. L. O'Dell is having her millinery opening to-day and will continue it to-morrow.

Rev. J. H. Hammond of Decatur occupied the Disciple pulpit last Sunday morning and evening.

Florence Shafer has secured a position as book-keeper and cashier in a large Benton Harbor store.

The first frost of the season visited this section Tuesday morning. It was light and did no damage whatever.

J. L. Marshall is rebuilding the Irwin house, which he has bought, and will make it a comfortable home.

Snow Bros. are putting in two furnaces at Lawrence this week—for Messrs. Rockwell and Whitman.

Read the testimonial of Wm. Thomas in Snow's Bros' adv. Only 4 1/2 tons of coal for a cold winter is hard to beat.

Mrs. W. J. Ellis fell from her wheel last Thursday, nearly breaking one leg. She has been laid up ever since and has suffered severely.

Attorneys D. O. French and A. J. Mills of Kalamazoo and Hammond of Benton Harbor have been here on circuit court business this week.

On the great clock of time there is but one word, now. Now is the time to see a wonder stock of clothing for fall and winter at E. Smith & Co's.

Harry Douglas of Ann Arbor is spending two weeks at the home of his parents. He will complete the course in the chemical department at the university this year.

Mr. Clay Beistle of Buchanan arrived here Wednesday to visit his sister, Mrs. Ralph Jennings. He will go from this place to Ann Arbor, where he will enter college.

The South Haven & Eastern road has had plenty of refrigerator cars all this week, for western and north-western shipments, and grape buying has been lively in Paw Paw.

DeHaven Bros. have a new adv. in this paper. They are now settled in their new studio in the Conner building, where they have a very pleasant and convenient place of business.

Hon. E. L. Hamilton will speak on the issues of the day at Woodmen hall, Glendale, to-morrow (Saturday) evening. The Bloomingdale band and the Gobleville Glee club will furnish music.

E. M. Haven of the Haven Seed company at South Haven was in town Tuesday, looking after a large acreage of seeds of various kinds grown for the company by farmers in this vicinity.

The fruit shippers of Lawton informed The True Northerner, Wednesday, that the S. H. & E. is now furnishing them more refrigerator cars and giving prompter service than the Michigan Central.

Advertised letters: Edith M. Gray, Florence White, Mrs. L. Lottridge, Mrs. I. E. Whitmore, Mrs. Harriet Kimball, Isaac Lott, George Hibbard, Wm. A. Brewton, Berney Chapman, Mrs. Charlie Mills, Bill Mason, Horace Hull.

M. O. Rowland attended the meeting of the Michigan Republican Newspaper association at Kalamazoo, Wednesday and Thursday. Mrs. Rowland also attended the banquet given the members and their ladies Thursday evening.

A monster watermelon weighing 40 pounds was displayed in The True Northerner's window the fore part of the week. It was raised on Fairview fruit farm, from seed from a melon imported by E. B. Longwell last season and called the "Indiana Sweetheart."

Rusco & Swift's Uncle Tom's Cabin company, which will show at Longwell's opera house to-morrow evening—10, 20 and 30 cents—will give a street parade, headed by the company's band. James Lewis, the trick bicyclist, who rode down the steps of the capitol building at Washington, is with the company and will give a free street exhibition.

Rev. Eugene Sheehy will give a lecture at the opera house, Wednesday evening, September 20, "A Tour through Ireland," illustrated with 300 stereopticon views of interesting points from every corner of the Emerald Isle. It promises to be an interesting and instructive evening's entertainment. Admission 25 cents; 10 cents extra for reserved seats. The lecture is under the auspices of St. Mary's church.

Owing to the cold weather and hard wind last Sunday, C. W. Morley was unable to exhibit his water bicycle at Lake Park. He will give an exhibition, Saturday and Sunday, September 29 and 30, at the Lamphere pond, providing the weather will permit. It will pay you to see this machine operate.

There is said to be a man in Connecticut who, when he attends church, occupies the pew farthest from the pulpit to save the interest on his money while the collectors are passing the plate for contributions. Showman Bros. save you the interest and part of the principal if you buy your clothing, boots and shoes of them. They are receiving new goods every day.

Tuesday, Deputy Sheriff Chappell took "Bobby" Oakes, under arrest for being drunk and disorderly, third offense, to Decatur for examination before Justice Moulton. On account of the illness of the prosecutor, the examination was adjourned to Friday. While arrangements were being made for bail, "Bobby" skipped and has not been seen since by the officers. It is uncertain whether he will be present at the time appointed for examination.

Harry DePew and Miss Ethel Lee of Chicago were married in Paw Paw, Friday, Sept. 7, by Justice Rowland.—South Haven Messenger. The Messenger is away off. The couple mentioned were not married by Justice Rowland. They never asked Justice Rowland to marry them and he would not have married them if they had asked him. Justice Rowland is not in the marrying business. Justice Rowland is functus officio. There is no Justice Rowland.

The following teachers from the Lawrence schools visited the Paw Paw schools Monday: Mr. Whitney, superintendent; Miss Feather, assistant superintendent; Miss Bidwell, grammar department; Miss Campbell, intermediate department; Miss Alice Rowland, primary department. New steam heating apparatus is being put into the Lawrence school building and, as no fire could be had in the building, school was dismissed Monday on account of the cold.

A meeting was held at the court house Tuesday evening, to take the initial steps for the organization of a republican campaign club. David Anderson was chairman of the meeting, M. O. Rowland secretary. C. W. Reynolds, H. C. Waters and J. E. Chandler were appointed a committee to draft constitution and by-laws for the club, to report at a meeting to be held in the court room Tuesday evening, September 25, at 7:30, when every republican voter should try to be present.

Miss Daisy Orr is teacher of the school in the Willey district and boards at G. T. Sherrod's. Last Friday morning, not feeling well, she took what she supposed was a dose of quinine. Soon after she was taken violently ill and it was found she had taken corrosive sublimate by mistake. Fortunately, she had taken a very large amount of the poison and it acted as a violent emetic. Dr. Thompson was hastily summoned, and the young lady's life was saved. She is yet confined to the house, but will recover. It was a narrow escape.

Last Saturday evening about 75 friends and neighbors assembled at the home of Charles Bennett in Gliddenburg. As the young man is about to leave for Ann Arbor, the friends took this occasion to come in uninvited and bid him Godspeed. Before supper was announced, Rev. Anna Barton read an original poem written for the occasion, which was beautiful, and which, in behalf of the company, showed the high esteem felt for Mr. Bennett. The tables were prettily decorated with cypress vine and bouquets of choice flowers, and were literally loaded with good things to eat. The occasion was so enjoyable that it was Sunday morning before the crowd dispersed.

Following are the appointments of M. E. ministers in this county, and also the location of some former Van Buren county pastors: Paw Paw, E. O. Mather; Mattawan, C. F. Brown; Lawton, Edwin Tench; Lawrence, S. F. McGuire; Bloomingdale, I. J. Yost; Decatur, L. H. Manning; Bangor, C. D. Tubbs; South Haven, M. L. Fox; Lacota, W. Z. Cole; Gobleville, H. H. Miller. W. J. Hathaway goes to Clare, W. W. Lamport to Leslie, F. W. Corbett to Central Lake, S. C. Strickland to Bellevue, H. L. Potter to Dowagiac, G. W. Gosling to Girard. The Paw Paw church and the people of the community generally are pleased at Mr. Mather's return. Rev. R. W. Van Schoick remains presiding elder of the Niles district.

James Nelson has been cutting moss from his marsh near Mud lake and is shipping it away in car lots to nurserymen for use in packing trees and vines for shipment. He has sold and is shipping 13 carloads of the stuff. This is a new industry in this section. Speaking of loading cars reminds us that the S. H. & E. yards look very busy these days. Besides the moss shippers, several carloads of grapes are being loaded daily. B. F. Warner is loading hay for shipment to the eastern market. A large quantity of mill wood is being loaded and shipped. Cans, boxes and peaches are coming in for the canning factory, quite an amount of lumber is being shipped, besides the ordinary grain and merchandise traffic of the road. The S. H. & E. is doing a big business, and Paw Paw is becoming a great shipping point.

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